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TOPIC Incoming and Outgoing Shipments at the Strausberg Railroad Station

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REMARKS

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1. The following shipments were dispatched from the Strausberg railroad station between 13 February and 10 March 1954:
 B - Boxcar; C/B - Converted Boxcar; F/S-Flatcar with Sideracks; G - Gondola Car

| Date in February | Number and Type of Cars | Load | Dispatched to | Consignee |
|------------------|-------------------------|--|---------------|----------------------|
| 13 | 3 B | military goods (labeled "To Be Handled with Care") | Strausberg | Ellerholz SOC |
| | 1 CB | troops | " | " " |
| | 2 B | military goods | " | Fuerstenwalde SOC |
| | 1 F/S | crates of various sizes | " | " " |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " | " " |
| 14 | 1 B | foodstuff | " | Ellerholz SOC |
| | 1 F/S | crates | " | " " |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " | " " |
| | 1 F/S | crates | " | Klausa/Thuringia SOC |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " | " |
| | 1 F/S | crates | " | Jueterbog SOC |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " | " |
| 21 | 1 F/S | undetermined | " | Tangermunde |
| | 1 B | | | |
| 26 | 1 G | undetermined | " | Wiesenburg |

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| Date in March | Number and Type of Cars | Load | Dispatched to | Consignee |
|---------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 1 CB | undetermined | Strausberg | Dallgow/Doeberitz |
| | 1 F/S | " | " | " |
| 3 | 1 CB | " | " | Ellerholz |
| | 1 F/S | " | " | " |
| 10 | 1 F/S | 4 crates, 1.5 x 0.2 x 4 meters | | Jueterbog SOC 25X1 |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " " | |
| | 3 B | military goods | " " | Dallgow/Doeberitz SOC |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | | |

2. Between 7 February and 17 March, the following shipments arrived at the Strausberg railroad station:
RRy - Heavy-Duty Flatcar

| Date in February | Number and Type of Cars | Load | Dispatched from | Dispatcher |
|------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| 7 | 1 B | military goods | Boetzow | Strausberg |
| | 2 F/S | 2 AA guns of about 85 mm caliber | " | " |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " | " |
| 10 | 5 B | military goods | Frankfurt/Oder border | " |
| | 4 F/S | 5 new trucks without superstructures | Frankfurt/Oder border | " |
| | 1 F/S | 2 crates, 10 x 1.5 meters | " | " |
| | 2 CB | guard personnel | " | " 25X1A |
| 25 | 1 F/S | 1 AA gun of about 85 mm caliber | Ellerholz | " |
| <u>March</u> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 B | undetermined | " | " |
| | 1 G | " | " | " |
| | 1 F/S | " | Chemnitz | " |
| 2 | 12 B | " | Frankfurt/Oder border | " |
| | 2 RRy | " | " | " |
| 3 | 13 B | " | " | " |
| | 2 F/S | " | " | " |
| 4 | 3 B | " | Wustermark | " 25X1A |
| 7 | 2 F/S | 4 crates, 1.5 x 2 x 4 meters | Weimar SOC | " |

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| Date in March | Number and Type of Cars | Load | Dispatched from | Dispatcher |
|---------------|-------------------------|---|---------------------------|---|
| 7 | 1 CB | guard personnel | Weimar SCC | Strausberg, |
| 10 | 1 B | military goods (labeled "To Be Handled with Care ") | Frankfurt/Oder border | " " |
| 12 | 14 F/S | 18 two-axle chassis, 8 three-axle trucks | " " SCC | " " |
| | 2 B | military goods (labeled "To Be Handled with Care ") | " " " | " " |
| | 1 F/S | 1 AA gun of about 85 mm caliber | Naumburg/Saale-Ost | " " |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " " | " " |
| | 1 B | military goods | Klausa/Thuringia | " " |
| 13 | 27 F/S | 36 three-axle and 8 two-axle truck chassis | Frankfurt/Oder border SCC | " " |
| | 1 B | military goods (labeled "To Be Handled with Care ") | " " | " " |
| 15 | 2 F/S | 2 AA guns 85 mm caliber | Wustermark | " " |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " " | " " |
| | 2 F/S | 2 AA guns 85 mm caliber | Ellerholz | " 1 |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " " | " " |
| 17 | 1 F/S | 1 AA gun 35 to 45 mm caliber, with straight barrel, about 2 meters long | Rueckelmsdorf SCC | " " |
| | 1 CB | guard personnel | " " | " " |

Note: Outgoing and incoming shipments listed between 7 February and 4 March are complete. 25X1A

3. The following piece goods consigned to the Strausberg air force depot, arrived at the Strausberg railroad station:

8 boxes with 500 kg of cotton from Wilischthal
 5 containers with 2,200 kg of caustic soda from Bitterfeld
 2 boxes with luminous agents from Reichenbach/Ol
 8 crates with engines, 465 kg each from Radeberg
 35 sacks with 1,200 kg of soda from Bernburg
 140 buckets with 4,130 kg of soft soap from Magdeburg-Neustadt
 4 boxes with 374 kg of saw-blades from Koenigsee/Thuringia
 2 boxes with 120 kg of cottons from Wilischthal
 162 boxes with 3,702 kg of welding wire from Finsterwalde/Nl
 9 barrels with 3,312 kg of chromic acid from Bitterfeld²
 18 boxes with 4,050 kg of equipment for current producing installations from Finsterwalde/Nl

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32 boxes with 2,700 kg of wire tacks from Weissenfels
 205 boxes with 7,650 kg of NGA electric lighting cable from Vacha
 ? boxes with 12,600 kg of empty steel cylinders from Ruedisleben
 13 barrels with 2,543 kg of varnish diluting agent from Magdeburg/Sudenburg
 2 boxes with 210 kg of fittings from Magdeburg-Neustadt
 1 box with 74 kg of coppers from Wilischthal
 200 boxes with 7,600 kg of NGA electric lighting cable from Vacha
 32 boxes with 2,650 kg of wire tacks from Weissenfels.

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1. [REDACTED] Comment. The shipping of 85-mm AA guns from the Strausberg air force depot to Ellerholz and vice versa [REDACTED] (air force) has been previously observed. As only 76-mm AA guns have so far been observed at East German airfields, possibly an error in observation occurred. Efforts have been initiated to clarify this point.
2. [REDACTED] Comment. Chromic acid is also used for galvanic hard chrome plating. A hard chrome plating installation for turbo jet impellers was reported to exist in the jet engine repair shop at Jueterbog-Altes Lager.

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